Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Oscar and Alice Simonson began the celebration of life together as husband and wife in Nineteen Hundred and Thirty-Eight; and,

WHEREAS, Their marriage has spanned half a century of service and devotion to their family, friends and and community, including being active in church affairs at Bergan Lutheran Church; and,

WHEREAS, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Oscar and Alice Simonson have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

WHEREAS, Oscar farmed for 40 years after their marriage, and served on the board starting the Sun Dial Manor rest home in Bristol, South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Alice is a member of the Day County Hospital Auxiliary, and served on the board for Sun Dial Manor rest home; and,

WHEREAS, Oscar enjoys playing golf as much as possible, and Alice enjoys gardening and quilting; and,

WHEREAS, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognize and commemorate the memorable milestones in the lives of the State's outstanding citizens:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim June 11, 1988, as

OSCAR AND ALICE SIMONSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Eleventh Day of May, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Eight

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

JOYCE HAZELTINE, SECRETARY OF STATE